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To: Goforth, Kathleen [/o=ExchangeLabs/ou=Exchange Administrative Group (FYDIBOHF23SPDLT)/cn=Recipients/cn=0821ccf0ea9e4c18a3d2a583158b713e-KGOFORTH]
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Subject: RE: Rosemont Mine

Kathy,

Ted walked away from the meeting feeling as if USFS is starting to get pressure to bring this project to a conclusion - meaning that they soon could decide to issue their 30 day notice to proceed to ROD. He could not quantify how soon, soon is. He also indicated that he couldn't foresee a situation, in general, where a referral is appropriate. I took that as federal agencies need to figure out a way to work through issues without elevating the fight. Ted stated that USACE HQ is telling the Division/District to get their work done and decide to approve or deny the permit. Hopefully you'll get some better insight on Friday.

Thanks -- Kelly

From: Knight, Kelly
Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 7:00 PM
To: Goforth, Kathleen
Cc: Dunning, Connell ; Suriano, Elaine ; Marshall, Tom
Subject: Re: Rosemont Mine

Kathy,

Ted Boling attended the meeting. He indicated that the meeting went well and would be giving me a call. I'll let you know as soon as I hear something.

R,
Kelly

From: Goforth, Kathleen
Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 11:07:36 AM
To: Knight, Kelly
Cc: Dunning, Connell; Suriano, Elaine; Marshall, Tom
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Thanks, Kelly -

Do you know who at CEQ and USFS will be in that meeting, and will you be in touch with CEQ to hear the outcome?
-Kathy

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 20, 2017, at 11:46 AM, Knight, Kelly <knight.kelly@epa.gov> wrote:

Thanks Kathy. CEQ is meeting with USFS tomorrow morning on this project.

From: Goforth, Kathleen

Sent: Monday, March 20, 2017 2:14 PM

To: Knight, Kelly <knight.kelly@epa.gov>

Cc: Dunning, Connell <Dunning.Connell@epa.gov>; Suriano, Elaine <Suriano.Elaine@epa.gov>; Marshall, Tom <marshall.tom@epa.gov>

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Update: R9 Water Division Director Tomas Torres and Acting Assistant Water Division Director Jason Brush are scheduled to meet with Stu Townsley of the Corps' South Pacific Division (SPD) on Friday to find out what transpired in the meeting that SPD recently had with Hudbay. Apparently, Hudbay representative Patrick Cunningham contacted our RA and characterized Hudbay's meeting with SPD as having resulted in reopening the record at Hudbay's request. The Region wants to hear directly from the Corps' what the Corps' perspective is on the situation.

-Kathy

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 20, 2017, at 10:38 AM, Knight, Kelly <knight.kelly@epa.gov> wrote:

Kathy/Connell,

CEQ is asking if there is any recent news regarding USACE's decision regarding the 404 permit for Rosemont Mine? Has R9 had any recent contact with the Corps regarding the issue. Need any insight by COB today.

Thanks -- Kelly

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